



Arch-rivals fall to Eckville in Provincial final

Elk Point Thunder watched their season-long arch-rivals, the Kitscoty Pitbulls, go down to a 5-3 defeat at the hands of the Eckville Eagles in Sunday's championship game of the Midget C Provincial Hockey Tournament held this weekend in Elk Point. The Eagles went undefeated through three days of action to win the provincial gold.

Eckville took a one goal lead late in the first period, with the score remaining at 2-1 throughout the scoreless second segment of the game. The boys from Zone 4 upped the ante twice in the first half of the third period to bring the score to 4-1, but the Pitbulls did not give up easily. They pulled their goalie with three and a half minutes left, and promptly got a goal, however Eckville retaliated with another of their own before the goalie went back into his crease. Kitscoty scored a final goal with 1:04 left on the clock, but ran out of time before they could even things up.

This was the second loss to Eckville for Kitscoty, who lost by an identical score in their first game of the tourney. The Pitbulls went on to defeat Oyen 3-1 and Irma 7-5 to win a playoff berth against Elk Point, who had won 6-3 over Manning and 3-2 over Coaldale, then tied 5-5 with Onoway to place first in their pool. In the semi-final, the old rivalry was back, with the Pitbulls making the best of their final chance to put the run on Elk Point for the season.

Eckville defeated Manning in the other semi-final.

The eight-team tournament started Friday, with official opening ceremonies Friday evening. After all the participating teams paraded onto the ice, figure skaters Jena Bassett, Dennell Anderson and Michelle Leckie served as a color party for the singing of O Canada, led by MC Travis Pankiw.

MLA Paul Langevin brought greetings from Premier Klein, and commended Elk Point's countless volunteers for putting on "one great success after another."

Reeve Ray Danyluk welcomed all the visitors on behalf of the County of St. Paul, and also commended the volunteers, especially "Number one person Doug Bassett... whose mother Shirley came all the way from Ontario for the Provincials."

Mayor Ed Buck said he was "really proud to have the Provincials here," and added his thanks to the volunteers, including Donna Bassett and the parents of the team members for all the time they have put in.

Jack Brown of Hockey Alberta said that Elk Point "receives many, many provincials because of the good job they do in putting them on." He added that all of the teams in the competition "played through terrific competition to be here."

Doug Bassett welcomed the visitors on behalf of Elk Point Minor Hockey and introduced tournament chairman Mike MacDonald, who officially declared the tournament open.

Just under 48 hours later, Brown and MacDonald were again in the spotlight as the tournament came to an end. Brown congratulated all the teams on a "fight-free tournament. It's much appreciated," and said the games had been highly competitive throughout.

MacDonald had the pleasant duty of assisting Brown with the presentation of banners and medallions to both the silver and gold winning teams. Photos of the Provincials on Page 6.



WELCOMING AN EASTER STORYTIME VISITOR -- Some very special visitors came to Elk Point Public Library's Storytime Easter Party last week, and were mobbed by an eager group of preschoolers. The bunnies make their home at Fins, Feathers and Furry Things, and were chauffeured to the party by LoAnne Speers. The tots also enjoyed Easter stories, an egg hunt and decorating cookies as part of their Friday visit.

Capacity crowd for Bull Chutin' Classic

The third annual Bull Chutin' Classic filled the stands at Elk Point Agricultural Society's Fairgrounds Arena to overflowing Saturday night, as 32 top bullriders from the four

western provinces and 43 wild and woolly bulls supplied by Les Trach Rodeo Co., St. Paul, and Muriel Lake Rodeo, Bonnyville, provided an evening of breathtaking enter-

tainment.

The long go-round saw 21 contestants bite the dust, as the bulls churned up a cyclone on the arena floor. Nine contes-

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SECOND AT THE FARMERETTES -- Stella Lorenson (right) and her rink, including (left to right) Sandra Cameron, Doreen Younghans and Karen Stafford, placed second at the Farmerettes Bonspiel in St. Paul last Wednesday. Several rinks from Elk Point and Lindbergh took part in the 24-rink, one day annual spiel. Next year, one of these rinks, consisting of Vicki Brooker, Sherry Pelech, Terri Breen and Lynne Boyko, will have the honor of planning and hosting the Farmerettes, and hope to have a record attendance from this area.

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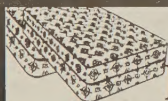
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From the FCSS desk...

An Elk Point welcome to everyone

By Deanna Easthope
FCSS Director

Over the winter, our FCSS Office has learned of new people who have moved to town. Some of you have called our office and through our "Welcome Wagon" program, we have been able to give you information about our town. Basically, how this program works, you call our office, and then our volunteers will come and visit you with a package of "goodies" and information about our town.

We want you to know that whether you are a new person or a person who has lived in our town for many years, you are important.

There is a story of a person

walking down a deserted beach at sunset. As he walked along, he began to see another man in the distance. As he grew nearer, he noticed that the local person kept leaning down and picking something up and throwing it out into the water. Time and time again he kept hurling things out into the ocean.

As the person approached even closer, he noticed that the man was picking up starfish that had been washed up on the beach and, one at a time, he was throwing them back into the water.

The person was puzzled. HE approached the local man and said, "Good evening, I was wondering what you are

doing."

"I'm throwing these starfish back into the ocean. You see, it's low tide right now and all of these starfish have been washed up onto the shore. If I don't throw them back into the sea, they'll die up here for lack of oxygen."

"I understand," the person replied, "but there must be thousands of starfish on this beach. You can't possibly get to all of them. There are simply too many. Can't you see that you can't possibly make a difference?" The local person smiled, bent down and picked up yet another starfish, and as he threw it back into the ocean, he replied, "Made a difference to that one!"

How does this story relate to new people moving into Elk Point? Simply. Sometimes new people move into a new place and no one notices them. Sometimes the long time residents are too busy too busy being involved in their own lives to notice the new people who have moved in. I hope this doesn't happen in our town of Elk Point. After all, as it can be said, "a new friend is the stranger you took the time to get to know."

Like the local person who took the time to make a difference to a starfish, on behalf of all of us long time local residents, we extend to all you new people - a welcome to Elk Point.

Local winners at District 4-H Public Speaking

By Lorraine Danyluk
Elk Point 4-H MultiClub

St. Lina Hall was the scene of the annual District 4-H Public Speaking Competition on March 16. Twelve members participated, a junior and a senior from each of the six clubs in the district: Goodridge Beef, St. Lina Beef, St. Paul Light Horse, St. Paul Multi, Elk Point Saddle Slickers and the Elk Point Multi.

First place in the Senior competition went to Robyn Danyluk of Elk Point Multi with a prepared speech on communication, "Look Who's Talking," and an impromptu on "The Secret of Success." Nicole Poulin of St. Paul Multi was second with a prepared speech on "Making Decisions" and an

impromptu on "Peer Pressure."

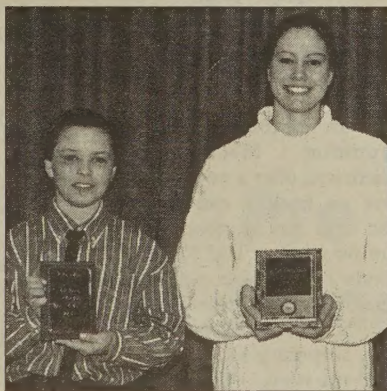
First place Junior was Erin Krokoski of the St. Paul Light Horse Club, with her prepared speech on "What Happens Next" and an impromptu about "My Favorite Pet." Kyle Kurek of Elk Point Multi was second with "Did I Make the Right Choice?" and an

impromptu about "My Favorite Sport."

Mistress of ceremonies was Phyllis Corbiere.

The senior speeches were judged by Ray Makowecki, Debbie Sumida and Marilyn

Kissel, junior speeches by Jim Purdy, Eileen Vallee and Marc Letourneau. Timers were Rachelle Langevin and Jill Dechaine, while Phil Dechaine and Real Brosseau were the tellers.



WINNERS AT DISTRICT LEVEL--
Robyn Danyluk and Kyle Kurek

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View Points



FAREWELL GIFT — Doreen and Frank Mayner were presented with a framed Elk Point United Church plate at a farewell gathering held in their honor recently. The Mayners are moving to a retirement community in Fort Saskatchewan after spending 18 years in Elk Point, where Frank was the Toronto Dominion Bank manager and Doreen was the Town librarian, prior to their retirements. They were both also active in the United Church, and will be very much missed. The Mayners also volunteered for the FCSS Department as the Welcome Wagon greeters, and Doreen was a member of the FCSS Board. Frank is the past president of both the Elk Point Historical Society and Friends of the Forts, and will continue as chair of the Fort George - Buckingham House Advisory Board until his term expires later this year. All the best in the future to this community-minded couple!



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Nutrition Month

The good news is... "All foods can fit!"

By Charolette Varem-Sanders
Community Nutritionist

For some time, we've thought of foods such as carrot sticks, celery sticks and cottage cheese as "good" for us, while others such as pasta, meat, and deserts are seen as "bad". Times have changed. This means that no food should be labelled as good or bad. In fact all foods can be part of healthy eating patterns. The nutritional goodness of any one food or meal can contribute to a healthy intake if we make choices based on moderation, variety and individual needs. So for those who enjoy treats for time to time, the good news is ... All Foods Can Fit!

A brief summary of Canada's Food Guide to Healthy Eating (CFG) to remind ourselves of our basic body requirements:

The four food groups include:

Fruits and Vegetables:

5-10 servings

Grain Products:

5 - 12 servings

Milk Products:

2 - 3 servings

Meat and Alternatives:

2 servings

Other Foods: Taste and enjoyment can come from this group of foods and beverages that are not part of the four food groups.

Different people have different nutritional needs; activity levels, lifestyles, budget, culture and tastes vary. That's why CFG offers a range of choices to suit individual requirements.

The theme this year is to

inform us that we can include the "other food" group in our choices without guilt. Moderation is key. When making food selections, include therecommended portions for CFG, then add "other" foods for flavour, variety, comfort or any reason you may think of. You'll know when you are overdoing it; you start to gain extra weight, or find that coffee is making you edgy. In other words you don't need to give up foods you love to enjoy good health when you aim for variety and moderation.

It is wonderful to see this change in nutrition philosophy. Our focus in the past was to give the information of "how not to include the 'other foods'" and now the information being recommended is that these other foods can be included. All foods do fit. The key is to choose a variety of foods for Canada's Food Guide to Healthy Eating and eat in moderation.

A Nutrition Month I.Q. Test

By Shelley Miller-Hertes
Registered Dietician, Elk Point Health Centre

This is the message for Nutrition Month 1997. Dieticians offer a new perspective on healthy eating called the total diet approach. There are no good or bad foods. All foods can have a place in a healthy lifestyle. Here's a Food I.Q. Test. Some of the answers may surprise you!

1. You need 5 - 10 servings of

vegetables and fruit each day. Which one of the following counts as one serving of fruit:

- (a) one banana
- (b) one glass of orange juice
- (c) one small box of raising
- (d) all of the above

2. You need 2 - 3 servings of meat and alternatives each day. One serving of meat is about the same size as:

- (a) a match book
- (b) a deck of cards
- (c) a thin paperback book

3. Which one of the following lunch items is highest in fat?

- (a) Caesar salad
- (b) chicken salad sandwich
- (c) hamburger

4. Choose the food which is enriched with iron and B vitamins, niacin, riboflavin and thiamin.

- (a) cookies
- (b) muffins
- (c) breads
- (d) all of the above

Answers:

1. (d) Fruits can be enjoyed in a variety of different ways including fresh, frozen, canned, juice or dried. Eat lots!

2. (b) One serving of meat (3 oz.) is about the size of a deck of cards.

3. (a) A Caesar salad is higher in fat than either the hamburger or the sandwich because of the creamy, high-fat dressing.

4. (d) Since all flour in Canada has to be enriched with iron, niacin, riboflavin, and thiamin, all baked goods, even cookies, muffins and breads, contain these nutrients.

Just remember — All Foods Can Fit!

Sky Watch

By Lois Ramer

At a Virginia 'comet-watch' gathering several nights ago this comment was heard... "Hale-Boo is a dud." Here in Harrisonburg, where I'm visiting, the Astronomy professor at Eastern Mennonite University who made the statement very likely has viewed much brighter comets than Hale-Bopp, such as Comet West in 1975. Comet West's relative brightness was 240 compared to Hale-Bopp's 40 in July '95/ Of course, HB's brightness has significantly increased to this date due to the fact that he is much closer to earth, the

closest approximately 122 million miles from us. (The distance of this comet from earth was intensely greater when it was sailing beyond Pluto.)

Comet West's closest earth encounter was 'just' 75 million miles. Since Hale-Bopp is 47 million miles further away than West was, and having a nuclear diameter of approximately 209 miles greater than West's, we aren't gazing at a fuddy-dudd!

What we see in the night sky as a very bright star (or comet), compared to another, is very deceiving. For example, the

Not a dud!

'brightest' right shoulder star in Orion called Betelgeuse (Beetle-juice) is 500 light-years away and Rigel, the lower 'fainter' left foot star of Orion is 900 light years away. But Rigel, in reality, is nearly four times brighter than Betelgeuse. We couldn't say that Rigel is a dud star in the Orion compared to 'Beetle-juice'!

Have your own personal gaze, with friends and binoculars, at Comet Hale-Bopp. (Unless you're at the Edmonton Space Science Centre Observatory, I think a

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RENEW YOUR FAITH This Easter



Rejoice this Easter season

By Rev. Catherine Christie-Pell
Elk Point United Church

I am new to this community of Elk Point, having come as temporary United Church minister to be here as our community of faith within the United Church and the town struggles with the death of Norm Hartley and the sorrow that causes.

It is wonderful to be here at Easter, for I can preach the text I love, as Norm would have, "I am convinced that neither death nor life, nor the present nor the future, nor anything in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord." (Romans 8:38-39)

Being here during this calving season, I have seen a parable. A heifer lost twins, she was down for several days; it looked like she might die. But one day she started to get up; a starving calf was put in with her, started right in to suck, and they're both healthy now.

It struck me strongly as I saw this how God rejoices to adopt us as sons and daughters. God grieves when people turn away, decide against God or lose their way, but God rejoices when people turn God-ward; like the calf, eager for the available milk, "we wait eagerly for our adoption as sons and daughters, our redemption," we are accepted as God's own children and are nourished by God's love.

Think of the ways in which God nourishes you, and rejoice this Easter season. Take the time, if you can, to celebrate with God's faithful people.

...And the light went out

By Rev. Sam Donaldson
Elk Point Community Church

Good Friday is a special day in the Christian calendar. It is the day on which the Church celebrates, and remembers, the death of Christ. It is the equivalent of the Jewish Passover. It does not always coincide with the Passover due to a difference in setting the dates.

The apostle Paul associates the sacrifice of Christ with the Jewish Passover in 1 Cor. 5:7 Christ is our Passover lamb. The true or real sacrifice for sin. He is the fulfillment of what the Old Testament Passover lamb was the shadow.

It was on the day of the Passover that Jesus, "the light of the world," died. It was on that day that the light went out.

At the Community Church on Good Friday we will be celebrating communion with a candlelight service. We will have a special candle representing Jesus, "the light of the world." Our service will con-

clude with that candle being extinguished, symbolizing Christ's death. This candle will be lit again on Easter Sunday as we celebrate His resurrection. It will remind us that Jesus is alive.

This Good Friday community service is at 7:00 p.m. Easter Sunday service is at 11:00 a.m. We extend an invitation to you to come and celebrate Easter with us. A warm welcome awaits you at both services.

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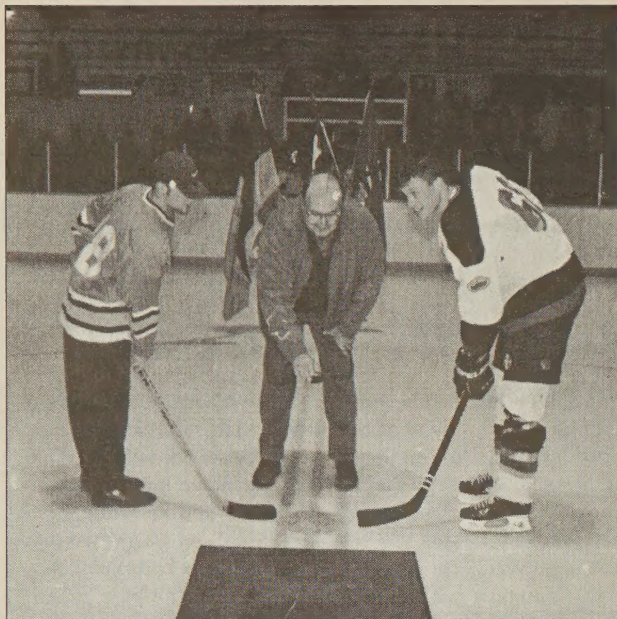
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A CEREMONIAL BEGINNING -- Mayor Ed Buck drops the puck during the official opening ceremonies of the Midget C Provincial Tournament. At right is Elk Point Thunder captain Marty Bendixen.



...AND A GREAT END for the Eckville Eagles. Tournament Chairman Mike MacDonald (right) and Hockey Alberta's Jack Brown present the banner to captain Bryce Medin.



PROVINCIAL CHAMPIONS -- Eckville Eagles

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Capacity crowd for Bull Chutin' Classic

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tants made it to the final round, with Kelly Hooey of Rocky Mountain House marking the top score of 80 points on a formidable bull known as "Passport Jr." Shon Lowery of Mayerthorpe placed second with a 76 on "Irish Luck," while Dwayne Schellenberg of Endiang marked 75 on "Shook Up" and Trevor Wittmack of Consort marked 72 on "Crossfire." Also going into the short final go-round were Chad Davidson, Asquith, SK with a 71, Kagan Sirett, Empress with 69, Cody Green, Fort St. John, BC with 68 and Brian Charles, Lloydminster

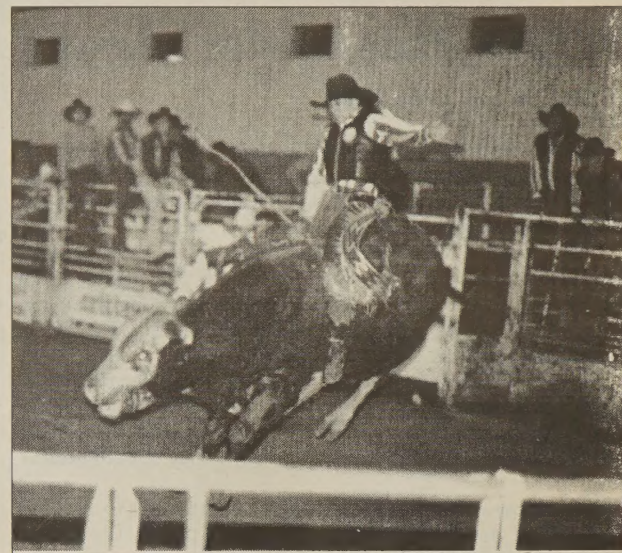
and Come Bouvier, Walsh, both with 67 points.

The final round once again took its toll, with only two completed rides. Dwayne Schellenberg took on the "Danger Zone" to a 74 point marking, while Trevor Wittmack stuck with "Hard Promises" for an excellent 83 point ride to win the night's top money.

Announcing the evening's event were Bernie Poiras of

Islay and Brent Hoyland of Sedgewick. Darrell Wickham of Elk Point and Dale Woodward of Wainwright did the judging, while Barb Laschowksi and Leeann Trach of St. Paul were the timers. Bullfighters were Bobby Morrison of North Battleford, SK and Cam Rice of Edmonton.

The evening concluded with a sand dance and social to the good country music of .45 Special.



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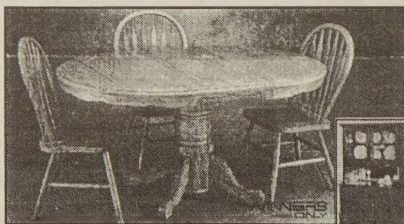
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Elk Point fall just short of Atom "A" championship

By Dean Kelly
Staff Writer

The St. Paul "A" Atoms had a disappointing weekend, but the Elk Point "A" Atoms certainly didn't.

Elk Point wasn't expected to make the tournament semi-finals, but made it all the way to the finals losing 8-4 to Lloydminster Four.

St. Paul hosted the Northeastern Alberta Atom A League play-off tournament this weekend, with the top eight teams playing in round robin format.

St. Paul was ranked fifth entering the tournament, but had a rough weekend losing the first game 8-1 to Vegreville on Saturday morning. They

lost a close one to Elk Point 6-5 on Saturday afternoon and they closed out the tournament with a 4-2 loss to Lloydminster Two.

In the semi-finals Lloydminster Four, who was the A-pool winner, defeated Lloydminster Two by a score of 4-2.

In the other semi-final Lloydminster Three, who won the B-pool, lost to surging Elk Point 11-9.

Midway through the third period Elk Point was down 9-8, but scored three quick goals to win a berth in the final.

So the final game had the number one ranked team against the eighth ranked team.

With nothing to lose, Elk Point played hard and had the

game tied 2-2 going into the third period. They took the lead 4-3 early in the third, but Lloydminster Four pulled away late in the third to win 8-4.

Elk Point team manager Ray Danyluk says the coaching staff was pleased with their team's performance.

"We only had enough players for two lines while the rest of the teams had three lines. Our team played five games in two days. To finish second took tremendous effort," said Danyluk.

He added that the tournament officiating was top notch.

"When the losing team compliments the officiating, you know it was good," said Danyluk.



ATOM SCRAMBLE- An Elk Point forward drives to the net looking for a loose puck during the Atom "A" league final game. Lloydminster Four on Sunday afternoon.



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Tax Tips

By Norm Gueutal

One of the best strategies for optimizing tax savings is to utilize some form of income splitting between family members. The advantage for taxation purposes is usually the greatest when the individuals concerned have a varied "marginal rate of tax". For example if your income is being taxed at the highest rate of tax and your spouses tax rate is lower it makes sense to try to lower your income as much as possible.

A spousal RRSP continues to be popular as a form of income splitting with couples that have different tax rates. The full advantage is not necessarily obtained when the RRSP is purchased but instead when the RRSP is withdrawn. As long as all the necessary requirements are met, the lower income spouse can claim the withdrawal on their

Income splitting to save tax

income tax return.

Another method of income splitting involves interest income of a minor child. If the interest bearing investment or account is primarily from the child's earnings or the monthly "child benefit" this should be claimed as income of the child. This would also be the case where the account is set up as a trust for the child or even if you have a separate account in your own name but use it only for your child's income. Because an individual is allowed to make a certain amount of income without being taxed, the interest income earned can sometimes result in being tax free in the child's hands.

If you own a business or a farm you may want to consider paying wages to family members as another form of income splitting. Of course, the wages

or salaries must be reasonable for the work done and all the required remittances should be submitted to Revenue Canada just as you would for other employees. Paying wages and CPP premiums to members that are over 18 can also make them eligible for retirement and disability benefits through CPP. This can be favorable to a spouse for example that does not have any other pensionable income. Another consideration would be premiums to the Unemployment Insurance Commission.

These are just some ideas for income splitting between family members. One thing to keep in mind is the attribution provisions in the Income Tax Act which in some cases prevent transfers of funds between family members for taxation purposes.

Norm Gueutal is associated with H&R Block in St. Paul.

Sky Watch

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small telescope would disappoint you). This week I can see the nucleus of Comet HB very brightly. Also, likely many of you have viewed HB with your naked, miraculous eyes! Awesome, indeed, these two marble sized parts of the human body can turn heavenward and be visibly connected with an object 122 millions miles distant. We each are 'fearfully and wonderfully'

made.

Present locations of the Hale-Bopp are: March 16 to approx. the 20th the best view is 1 1/2 hours before dawn in NNE. March 22 — HB is closest to earth. March 25 — HB is closest to the sun. March 21 to approximately April 9 — best view is 1 hr. after sunset in the northwest... to the left of the big 'W' (Cassiopeia) and close to the 'tail' stars of Andromeda.

Comet HB will gradually sink below the west-northwest horizon by May 10 to 15, into the Orion. I hope your Elk Point area weather will be mild

and conducive to being outdoors with camera, friends and Mr. HB. Also, being in the country away from town and city lights will be a great advantage. Using a 35 mm camera (and tripod) with 400 speed film, f2.8, shutter open 15 to 60 seconds and 50 mm lens or zoom lens will produce a nice astro shot of Hale-Bopp.

Why not send in your Hale-Bopp pictures to the Review and we'll put them on display. There may be a prize for the best photo!

I'm looking forward to returning to 'home' sky, earth and you.

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Elk Point 4-H Multi Club news

By Lorraine Danyluk
Elk Point 4-H MultiClub

The MultiClub held a meeting on March 19 at the F. G. Miller High School.

The Craft and Woodworking Achievement Day will be on April 19. Beef members will have a Mini-Achievement Day on April 6 in the Ag Barn. Tim Havener, Kyle Bintz, Peter Danyluk and Amanda Wirsta will compete at the Western Canadian Judging Competition at Vermilion College on March 21. We are planning to go bowling and to join the district in a broomball tournament in April.

We had a mixup in the placing of the second place junior winner in our club speak-off. The competition was very close. Upon reviewing the results, it was determined that second junior award should have gone to Kyle Kurek. The first place junior winner, Kirsty Lindquist, was unable to compete at the District because she was in a dance competition in Airdrie. Kyle competed at the St. Paul District Public Speaking Competition in St. Lina on March 16, along with Robyn Danyluk. We are pleased to report that Kyle won second place, junior and Robyn won first place, senior.

UFA sales up 15 percent

Total sales for United Farmers of Alberta in 1996 were \$535 million, a 15 percent increase over last year, according to reports from UFA delegate Lawrence Ference, who held an Advisory Council meeting in Elk Point on March 18.

Due to strong earnings and solid financial position, the organization declared a \$17.5 million patronage dividend with a \$10.2 million cash payout. Over the past five years, members have received approximately \$43 million in cash.

Members' equity represented a very strong 71.5 percent of total assets, which amount to \$177 million.

UFA, one of Alberta's largest farm supply co-operatives 95,000 active members, operates 33 farm supply stores and 125 petroleum facilities as well as the most widely distributed cardlock network in the province.

Students — it's your turn to write!

Students attending school in Elk Point and Heinsburg are invited to enter our "Write On" contest, where they can show off their writing skills and win some great prizes. Home schooling students are also welcome to enter.

Students in Grades 1 through 3 can enter our "Creative Classifieds" contest. Select a classified ad from any issue of the Review, and use your imagination to create the story behind it. Write no more than 200 words about a lost puppy, or the travels of that old car for sale. It could win you a \$100 cash prize, and other great prizes. A copy of the original ad must accompany the entry.

Students in Grades 4, 5 and 6 can become a "Junior Reporter." You can write about a sports event, a field trip your class went on, or any school related activity. You could receive \$300 and other great prizes if you are a Provincial Winner in this category.

Grades 7 through 12 students can express their views through our "Write An Opinion" contest. Choose an issue which directly affects

your community, write a 100 to 300 letter to the Editor on the subject, and you could win a \$500 cash prize and more.



Students in Grades 1 through 3 may enter only the Creative Classifieds contest. Students in Grades 4, 5 and 6 may enter the Junior Reporters contest. Students in Grades 7 through 12 may enter only the Write An Opinion Contest.

All writing must be done in school, except for home-schooled students. Your teacher may assign the contest as a class project, or you may complete the work in a spare

period or as part of an independent writing assignment. Entries must be submitted through your classroom teacher, or in the case of home-schooled students, directly to the Review office.

Stories for the Creative Classifieds must be based on a classified ad from an issue of the Elk Point Review. A copy of the original ad must accompany the story.

As a Junior Reporter you can write about how you felt or thought about a school related activity. Ask your friends what they thought. Talk to the team who won or did not win their recent sports event.

Entries in the Write an Opinion contest must be based on an issue directly affecting your community.

Teachers will select the class

winners and submit them to the Review no later than Tuesday, April 15.

A total of five local prize winners will be selected by the Review, one in each of the following categories: 1. Creative Classifieds - (a) Grade 1, (b) Grade 2 & 3; 2. Junior Reporters - Grades 4, 5 & 6; 3. Write an Opinion - (a) Grade 7 - 9; (b) Grades 10 - 12.

Local winners will receive gift certificates redeemable for merchandise at the Elk Point Review Printing and Stationery.

All local prize winners' entries will be submitted by the Review to the Alberta Weekly Newspapers Association for judging at the provincial level. All entries become property of the AWNA and the decisions of the judges are final.

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT SERVICES

The St. Paul Education Regional Division No. 1

Is seeking proposals for Construction Management Services for a partial Modernization and Addition project at F.G. Miller Jr./Sr. High School, Elk Point, Alberta. The construction budget is \$1.3 million, and work is expected to commence near the middle of June in three consecutive phases with a completion date of February 28, 1998.

The Construction Manager shall negotiate sub-trade quotations, enter into subcontracts with the trade contractors, provide full-time site supervision and administer the project during construction. Robert Bennett Architect Ltd., will provide design and prime consultant services.

The School Board's intention is to evaluate the proposals on the basis of several criteria including: cost, experience and overall proposal submission. Proposals shall include the following information related to the Construction Management team:

- * Construction management experience
- * Experience in construction and modernization of school buildings
- * Proposed team members
- * General financial status
- * Reporting system
- * Proposed fee for services
- * Percentage mark-ups for work and disbursements if applicable
- * Schedule of rates for personnel and equipment
- * Additional pertinent information

All applicants shall have minimum general liability insurance coverage of \$1 million and be prepared to enter into a C.C.A. #5 Canadian Standard Construction Management Contract Form between Owner and Construction Manager.

The Board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all submissions. Proposals shall be received no later than 14:00 hrs. on Thursday, March 27, 1997 and shall be addressed to:

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Nomination forms are available from Alberta Agriculture or the County Office, St. Paul.

The nomination deadline is April 11, 1997.

For further information please contact Dennis Berghelm at 645-3301, County Office.



NOTICE

Is hereby given that a

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The County of St. Paul No. 19

Will be held at the

County Office, 5015-49 Ave., St. Paul, AB.

Tuesday, April 8/97 - 4:00 pm

**FOR THE DISCUSSION OF THE
1996 AFFAIRS OF THE COUNTY**

The financial statement and auditor's report will be made available and presented at the April 8, 1997 annual meeting.

The financial statement and auditor's report for the year ending 1996 for the County of St. Paul No. 19 are available at the County Office for pick-up.

ROBERT KRAWCHUK
County Administrator

What's news at the library?

Spring means renewal -- including library cards!

By Michele Ducek
Librarian

I suspect that winter is not quite done with us for this year but spring surely came in on a glorious note. It was a little sloppy out there but very nice. Spring often means renewal and for many of you library users that means renewing your library memberships for 1997. Not everyone is due at this time but if you dig out your library card you will see that there are a whole lot of stickers decorating that little piece. Each sticker means something. If you come in and renew your membership you will receive a green sticker signifying that your membership expires in 1998 and a yellow sticker indicates which month. If your membership doesn't expire until later this year you can still come in and get the official, Northern Lights authorized sticker for 1997 (they're red) and the yellow month sticker. These stickers are very important if you use other libraries within the Northern Lights Library System such as St. Paul, Lloydminster, etc., as

these libraries will not accept your card unless you have valid, up-to-date stickers. So come on in and be validated.

New Books...

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Rev. Catherine Christie-Pell

New at Elk Point United

Rev. Catherine Christie-Pell, an ordained supply minister, has recently arrived at Elk Point United Church. She will be taking care of the ministry until a permanent minister is obtained at the end of June.

Rev. Christie-Pell has been a minister for nine years, and was ordained by the Maritime Conference of the United Church in 1988. The mother of two has served in Redcliff and Lethbridge, and currently makes her home in Calgary.

While at Elk Point United, she will have office hours from 9 a.m. to noon daily, and welcomes everyone to the weekly service Sundays at 10 a.m.

these nonfiction titles:

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Al-Anon Family Group Meeting, Room 605, Elk Point Municipal Hospital, Wednesday evening at 8:30 p.m.

Alcoholics Anonymous meeting, Wednesday at 8:30 p.m., Room 604, Elk Point Hospital.

T.O.P.S. meets every Wednesday, 6 p.m. - 7 p.m., Old Courthouse, west door, Elk Point.

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The Elk Point Legion now meets on the 2nd Tues. of each month at 7:30 p.m. in the Seniors' Centre.

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Obituary

OCKERMAN, Shirley

On March 20, 1997 Mrs. Shirley Ockerman of Lindbergh passed away suddenly at the age of 52 years. She is survived by her loving family of 2 daughters and 3 sons, Christine and her husband Dennis Uttley of St. Albert, Gary and his wife Kathy of Lindbergh, Marlon of Elk Point, Valerie and her husband Owen Gibson of Ardrossan, and Glen and his wife Cathy of Lindbergh; 9 grandchildren, Darcy, Ryan, Marvin, Tyler, Jennifer, Julia, Amy, Robyn and Kayla; 1 brother, Henry Ashby of Grande Prairie; 1 sister, Ella and her husband Ed Hillebrand of Lindbergh; 1 great-aunt, Mary Rivard of Chilliwack, B.C.; and numerous nieces, nephews and a host of friends. Shirley was predeceased by her husband, Arnold on June 27, 1986; her father, Arthur Ashby in 1969; and her mother, Sophie Ashby in 1988.

Prayer Service was held Monday, March 24 at 7:30 p.m. at Yewchin's Funeral Chapel, St. Paul. Funeral Service Tuesday, March 25 at 11:00 a.m. at the Elk Point United Church, Elk Point. Reverend Catherine Christie-Pell officiating with interment in the Ferguson Flats Cemetery, Lindbergh. If friends desire, donations to the Elk Point Elks Lodge or charity of one's choice c/o Box 425, St. Paul, AB., T0A 3A0 would be appreciated.

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IN THE SURROGATE COURT OF ALBERTA JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF EDMONTON

In the matter of the Estate of **ALBAN ANTON BUGEJA**, late of the Town of Elk Point, in the Province of Alberta, who died on the 8th day of January, A.D., 1997.

TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims upon the Estate of the above named must file with the undersigned by the **7th day of April, 1997**, a full statement of their claims and of the securities held by them.

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